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## DELAY OF DRAFT UNTIL NEW YEAR IS POSSIBILITY

Administration Admits  
Amendment Has Good  
Chance to Pass.

BULLETIN

Washington, Aug. 15—(AP)—The house rejected today a proposal to restrict to the continental United States and a few other areas under the American flag the use of National Guardsmen and army reserves who soon may be called to active service.

By a tally vote of 210 to 110, the members defeated an amendment offered to pending army reserve legislation by Rep. Miller R-Con) to substitute this restriction for a provision allowing service anywhere in the western hemisphere, American territories and possessions.

That senate-approved legislation would give President Roosevelt authority to order the Guardsmen and reserves into active service for one year.

Washington, Aug. 15—(AP)—Senator Downey (D-Calif) proposed today that the Burke-Wadsworth compulsory military service bill include provision for construction of a national system of superhighways to furnish jobs for conscripts completing army training.

Such an undertaking, Downey told the senate, would "eliminate" unemployment and would solve one of the chief problems likely to follow conscription.

Most conscripts would be taken from the ranks of the unemployed, the Californian argued. He said they should not be turned out of training camps without jobs.

Downey, opening the fifth day of senate debate on the legislation, told reporters he planned to support a compromise measure by Senator Maloney (D-Conn), which would delay conscription until January 1 at least.

Delay May Carry

Administration strategists privately acknowledged today that there was a good chance the senate might reject immediate conscription in favor of a compromise program deferring the start of compulsory service until January.

These leaders said their drive for enactment of the Burke-Wadsworth immediate conscription bill had run into difficulties because of the statement by Brigadier General William E. Shedd, Assistant Chief of Staff, that the army would be unable to absorb a full quota of conscripts before December.

This army statement, they said, had furnished ammunition to backers of the compromise measure offered by Senator Maloney who would register all men between 21 and 31 immediately but postpone the calling of conscripts until 1941.

Unless senate sentiment shifts before a vote is reached on the Maloney compromise next week, leaders reported after a check-up, the measure was apt to win approval.

It was pointed out that the compromise, in providing for inauguration of conscription next January, makes the start contingent on the army's failure to obtain enough men by voluntary enlistment by that date.

Guard Bill In House

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## 42 Planes Take Off on Tour of State This Morn

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 15—(AP)—Forty-two planes took off from Springfield municipal airport today on the first leg of a three-day air tour which will circle the state to advertise the Illinois State fair.

Two young women were among the 37 pilot-contestants who will compete for \$2,000 in prizes during the tour, which will end at WPA fair at Champaign. Bloomington and Lockport were on this afternoon's schedule.

First stop on the tour was scheduled at Greenville, followed by a landing at Salem and half for lunch at Champaign. Bloomington and Lockport were on this afternoon's schedule.

## Way Around Law

Washington, Aug. 15—(AP)—R. N. Elliott, the acting comptroller general, said in a formal opinion today that while the Hatch politics act required the dismissal of federal employees for various political activities it apparently would not prohibit the reemployment of those discharged from other positions.

In an opinion asked by the WPA, Elliott said that after the act provides for dismissal it prohibits rehiring of the person dismissed in "such office".

Thus, the acting comptroller general wrote, the law "apparently would not prohibit his (a dismissed person's) employment in some other position or office".

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Infantry units of all guard divisions engaged in tactical training of battalions and smaller units.

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National Guard units continued their preliminary training drills.

## NATIONAL GUARD UNITS ADVANCE TRAINING TODAY

### Boom of Artillery and Rattle of Machine Guns Are Heard

Camp McCoy, Wis., Aug. 15—(AP)—The booming of artillery fire punctuated the rattle of rifles and machine guns today as National Guard units advanced their field training in preparation for the "Battle of Wisconsin", which will conclude the three-week maneuvers of the Second Army.

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**J. F. F. CLUB**  
Mrs. Eli Hessenberger entertained the J. F. F. club at her country home near Triumph, Tuesday afternoon. Prize winners were Mrs. Lillian McGinnis, Mrs. Alma Gillette, Mrs. Clara Sutton and Mrs. B. Ossman. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess following cards. Guests other than club members were Mrs. Kurt Gillette, Mrs. Lena Hikkins, Mrs. Eva Wolfe, and Miss Cecelia Stewart.

Miss Lucy Edwards returned to her home after a week spent in Waukegan at the homes of her cousins, Edward and Thomas Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Haight and family and Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Gillette and son, Roger attended the Pecatonica Fair Sunday.

Robert Bales has returned to his home in Rockford following a three weeks' stay at the Kurt Gillette home.

Viola Rogers of Aurora is a guest at the Al Kidd home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mathesius and Mr. and Mrs. Hitchens attended the home coming at Compton Sunday.

Alice Pierce, Lillie Edwards, Bernadine Finch, John and Billie Edwards visited in Rockford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Otterbach attended the funeral of the latter's sister, Mrs. Francis Helmerhausen which was held Wednesday at 2:30 at the Hicks Funeral Home in Franklyn Grove. Mrs. Ross Hochkiss who is a sister of Mrs. Helmerhausen was unable to attend due to ill health.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Keeler, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rod, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mathesius, Harold Hitchens, Doris Miller, Clifford Carr and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wolfe and family will attend the Nellie and Walt concert in Chicago Sunday.

Mrs. James Buchan and son Larry, spent Monday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Clarke in Van Orin.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards the past week were George L. Young of Wyanet and Mrs. Nellie Egan and son, Lyle of Buda.

Mary Van Fleet of Elgin is a guest this week at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Frieda Weidenhofer.

Mrs. Dorothy Mueller and daughter, Barbara Ann of Chicago are guests until Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gillette.

Dinner guests Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hessenberger were George Hessenberger and daughter, Francis, Miss Elsie Crane, Leta Crane and Arthur Kreiser.

Duane and Neal Worsley have returned to their home following a week's vacation in Rockford.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. McCarthy are Dr. and Mrs. Mathew Gleason of San Antonio, Texas.

Miss Marjorie Blanchard is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Henry at Castle Park, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald are parents of a son, born Monday at Harris hospital.

Joseph Hubler is on a business trip at Minneapolis, Minn.

## GIVEN R. E. A. AID

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 15.—(AP)—U. S. Senator James M. Slattery reported to the governor's office today that the Rural Electrification Administration had allotted \$263,000 to the Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Mt. Vernon, for construction of 218 miles of power lines in Marion, Jefferson, Washington, Perry and St. Clair counties.

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## By FRED HARMAN



## Wendell Willkie's Town of Elwood, Indiana, Becomes Center of Spotlight

Elwood, Ind.—This used to be the place where the Pennsylvania crossed the Nickel Plate.

The two railroads still cross here, but now, even the big expresses from the East thunder to a stop.

Motorists used to savor at the town as just another mark on the map to slow down their speed. Nowadays, they draw up to the curb, down around Main and Anderson streets and start a chat about a native son—Wendell Willkie.

It will be here on this Saturday, August 17 that Wendell Willkie will accept the responsibilities of running as the Republican candidate for the presidency of the United States.

This little town of 10,000 persons, with its freshly painted houses and newly cleaned streets is happily proud that it is going to be host to thousands of people from all parts of the country who will come to cheer the man who they expect to enter the White House next January. They are a little puzzled, too, for their political enthusiasm is overshadowed by their civic pride.

They will take you down and point to the red brick high school where Wendell Willkie graduated in 1910. Over its door is the motto placed there in 1898: "The Hope of Our Country". That means something, they will tell you.

The thing that puzzles Elwood's citizens is just how many guests they are going to have to play host to. The candidate at first had planned a simple ceremony of accepting the nomination from a stand in front of the school. Like Topsy, however, it "grew and grew", so that the main event will take place in spacious Callaway park, which was virgin woodland when Wendell Willkie drove cows through it as a boy.

At the school, there will be only a simple greeting by Mr. and Mrs. Willkie of old friends and a brief speech of "thanks" for the welcome of his fellow townsmen.

Out at the park, however, when Willkie speaks in reply to Representative Joseph W. Martin, Jr., chairman of the Republican National Committee, who will notify him of his nomination, thousands will await his words.

Workmen already are laying a new large watermain to provide the water which will be consumed at the park; shrubbery which might be damaged is being removed and stored for re-planting; tents and temporary structures are going up to house hundreds of food and soft drink stands at the park and in town. Carpenters

are constructing a series of four bridges at the park over duck creek, where Mr. Willkie swam as a boy.

Back among the trees, hammers twang against nails in the building of the stand to seat 1,600 distinguished guests and from which the speech of acceptance will be made. The park itself has been expanded to take in a total of 60 acres. Additional adjacent farm lands totalling 350 acres are being staked off to accommodate as many as 30,000 automobiles.

Everyone has been promised plenty of parking space, plenty of food stands available and a hearty welcome.

Spearhead in all this is a group of some 100 workers who are carrying on in full office fashion in a modest house in what was once a quiet residential section, now headquarters of the Willkie National Committee.

Decorated with flags, bunting and a large picture of the candidate it has become the mecca for thousands of visitors, not only from within the town and surrounding countryside, but from the four corners of the country.

They come trooping in at the rate of 700 to 1,000 a day, "just to look." They tread the hallways and peer into busy offices, they ask questions—mostly about the Willkies. Although the place is as uninteresting to look at as a revolving door, there seems to be a compelling force about visiting it, or so those in Elwood will tell you.

Then almost around the corner is the reconstructed birthplace of Mr. Willkie, marked by a sign, as was his former home down the street. Automobiles pause before them for a stop to look around.

Yes, Elwood surely has changed. As one housewife breathlessly said, "Whoever would have thought Elwood would ever be like this."

**State Repaired Over  
50 Pavement Blowups  
During Torrid July**

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 15.—(AP)—The state highway division reported today that its maintenance crews repaired more than 50 pavement "blowups" during July.

Such damage, engineers explained, usually resulted from light showers striking hot pavement.

Quick contraction of pavement sections resulted in cracking and displacement of the slabs.

France Moves to  
Regulate Hours  
of All Laborers

Vichy, France, Aug. 15.—(AP)—The French government stepped in to regulate working hours in private industry today as one of the major problems affecting rapid readjustment of France's social and economic life.

Departmental prefects were given authority to fix maximum working hours for each industry and profession in their territory in accordance with conditions in that particular region.

While a national wartime tax of 40 per cent of workers' overtime pay was removed, all overtime, which is not permitted to exceed 75 hours yearly, now will be paid at the same rate as ordinary hours.

Employees will be required to contribute an amount equal to 20 per cent of overtime pay to a workers' benefit fund.

A national maximum of 48 ordinary work hours a week, or nine a day, was fixed by a decree published in the official journal.

At the same time the government announced it would go ahead at once with a nationwide program of electrifying the railways and repairing war damages, thus giving jobs to many thousands of unemployed. The government also will make loans to private industry to get it back on its feet.

It was announced German authorities are studying a proposal for the release of war prisoners urgently needed in Nazi-occupied France for industrial and public service jobs.

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When the baby was two months old the disease had blinded her left eye and impaired the vision of the other. Physicians said an operation might save her life but that she probably would be blind.

Her parents, Herman and Estelle Colan, were unable to decide between an operation and a "mercy death." Advice came from all parts of the nation. On the recommendation of the jury, physicians removed the left eye and part of the optic nerve in a vain effort to check spread of the malady.

Only 12 percent of WPA workers are under 25 years old, and 2 percent are more than 65. About 51 percent are in the age group of 25 to 44 years old.

The rhea, ostrich-like bird of South America, sleeps lying down, with its legs stretched straight out behind.

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"Excessive partiality for one foreign nation and excessive dislike of another cause those whom they actuate to see danger only on one side, and serve to veil and even second the arts of influence on the other. Real patriots who may resist the intrigues of the favorite are liable to become suspected and odious, while its tools and dupes usurp the applause and confidence of the people to surrender their interests." From the *Farewell Address*.

## 649-Years of Freedom

Like an immovable little rock in the middle of the flooding stream of totalitarianism stands Switzerland.

In days when many things are being swept away by that flood, it is pleasant to look upon so firm, even if so small a rock.

People of Swiss extraction all over the world have recently been celebrating 649 years of Swiss freedom.

They have been pointing out some of the virtues that have enabled Switzerland to survive when others have fallen. Switzerland has every disadvantage that is supposed to go with democracy. It is, in many ways, the most democratic country in the world. Yet it thrives.

Its population is mixed. Seventy per cent of them speak German. But "Fifth Column" is negligible. Why? Because the regime is so just, so advantageous, that practically every Switzer knows he is better off than under a totalitarian system.

Switzerland is poor. It depends on export and import, from which it has been largely cut off by the war. Yet so rugged and independent are its people that they have simply pulled in their collective belt and settled down to wait until conditions clear up.

Switzerland is small and weak. There is no question that it could be overrun by neighboring conquerors. But Switzerland is prepared and resolute. The cost of any such invasion, in the face of the natural ruggedness of country and people would be out of proportion to the loot. So in the midst of war, Switzerland remains at peace.

Switzerland is a living demonstration of the principle of live and let live.

There are four distinct cultures, German, Italian, French and Romansch. People of each are allowed to live culturally as they wish. Yet by co-operation is absolutely necessary.

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**YESTERDAY:** O'Leary questions Dale about Saylor's business and possible enemies, and about the five dinner guests. A window of the room is discovered unlocked. O'Leary finds a release protecting Saylor from a breach of promise action. He summons Hazel Leighton.

**CHAPTER IV**  
WHEN Hazel Leighton walked into the study, it was quite apparent she had completely recovered from the shock of finding Saylor's body. Aloof and self-composed, she stood poised in the doorway for a moment, as if waiting for Lieutenant O'Leary to acknowledge her presence.

The police officer was still seated at Saylor's desk, engrossed in several documents he had spread before him. Lights in the room were coming from a series of lamps along the walls and from the desk lamp. O'Leary finally looked up, and there was the trace of a smile on his face.

"Miss Leighton," Hazel nodded. "I'm Lieutenant O'Leary. Come over here and sit down, please."

Calmly Hazel walked toward the lieutenant. It was only when she reached the dark, jagged stain in the middle of the room that she hesitated a moment and carefully stepped around it. O'Leary motioned her into a chair that had been placed to the side of the desk, at his right.

"Miss Leighton, I understand it was you who first came upon the body," he said.

She lit a cigaret. "Yes. It was pretty much of a shock."

"Did you enter this room at all?"

"Not until the others came. I just screamed . . . I couldn't help it. And then I felt weak, so I hung onto the door and stared at the body until Dale and the rest came from the drawing room."

The lieutenant fingered the check he had taken from the desk drawer. "Miss Leighton, did you know that you were to get a \$5000 check from Mr. Saylor tonight?"

FOR a moment, Hazel's eyes faltered, and she tamped out her cigaret with quick, nervous movements of her long, slender fingers. "Why, yes," she said slowly. "Mr. Saylor was a lawyer, you know, and the check was part of a business matter he was handling for me."

"What kind of business?"

"I don't think that matters. It was personal . . . nothing at all to do with—with what happened here tonight."

O'Leary held out a single sheet of paper, clipped to a tan legal jacket. "Did it have anything to do with this?"

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Hazel sat very rigidly, her blond hair glimmering in the glow of the desk lamp. Little spots of red rose in her cheeks. "All right, Lieutenant," she said. "I'll tell you. Maybe that's better. Then you won't be getting a lot of ideas about something that isn't so."

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## How to Have Fun

Somebody connected with Ava, Mo., is just having himself a whale of a good time.

We don't know who he is, and neither does anybody else. But residents of that small Ozark seat town would like to find out.

Last town a half dozen Ava people received anonymous cashier's checks with requests to "use this and try to make someone as happy as this makes you." From time to time other donations arrived, ranging from \$10 to a church up to \$150 to the mayor. They come, not necessarily to people in dire need, but to just ordinary people whose activities have apparently met approval of the unknown benefactor. Evidently the "Sunshine Friend" is not rich, but simply has more money than he needs, and wants to make people happy.

People have many ways of trying to make themselves happy in a world that is all too full of pain. Here is one unknown person who has found a way.

## No Time for Comedy

National preparedness is advanced not one inch by contests in personal vilification such as that in which Senators Minton and Holt chose to indulge in the Senate the other day.

Today's problems are the gravest possible. It makes not the slightest difference to the country what may have been the attitude of Senator Holt's father or grandfather toward past wars. It makes not the slightest difference what are Senator Minton's preferences in refreshment.

But to see two members of our highest deliberative body snarling personalities at one another while gravest national policies are being debated is a spectacle in which we cannot afford to indulge at present.

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## Don't Be Taken In

Our friend was obviously impressed.

"You don't realize the seriousness of this. I understand there are 25,000 organized German Fifth Columnists in Blank City alone!" he said. He was obviously pleased with the sensation his words made.

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A. P. Corbin, who came to Dixon when the C. M. Henderson shoe Co. acquired possession of the Dixon shoe plant, passed away at his home, 1112 Third street, at about 7 o'clock this morning. Funeral services, conducted by Dr. Floyd L. Blewfield, pastor of the First Methodist church, will be held at the home at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Corbin is survived by his widow; a daughter, Mrs. Roy Scholl, route 2; a brother, Leslie of Warren Centre, Pa.; and two sisters, Mrs. Nettie Allyn of Warren Centre and Miss Harriet Corbin of Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

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## PERSONALS

Mrs. L. E. Dunkelberger and daughter, Kathryn, have returned from a two-day stay at the Palmer House in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Gilbert, son Lyle and daughter Sharon, and Mr. and Mrs. John Faley and son were Monday visitors at the Clyde Faley home in Maytown.

Charles E. Miller submitted to an operation at the Mayo clinic at Rochester, Minn., Tuesday morning, according to word received here today and is resting comfortably.

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# Society News

## Linkswomen Play at Prairie View

Dixon and Morrison linkswomen were guests of women golfers of the Prairie View Country club at Sterling on Wednesday. The links events was a handicap tournament.

Low net score for the entire field was carded by Vera Castle of the hostess club, Mary Lewis of Prairie View had low gross, and Ann Loos, also of Sterling, made low putts. Each used only three clubs.

Mrs. Floyd Chapman turned in low gross for Dixon, and Mrs. Robert Brewster had low putts. Other players receiving prizes were: Morrison—Hazel Bent, low gross; Helen Austin, low putts. Prairie View—Alda Wheelock, low gross; Laura Pippert, low putts.

Birdies were made by Hazel Bent and Helen Austin, both of Morrison.

Players from Dixon, Oregon and Prairie View went to Polo for an inter-club match today.

## DOROTHY RYAN BECOMES BRIDE OF E. H. UNGER

Miss Dorothy D. Ryan of Polo and Everett H. Unger of Knoxville were married Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage of the Methodist church. Dr. F. L. Blewfield heard the vows at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ryan of Polo attended the couple, who will reside in Polo.

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## SUPPER HOSTESS

Miss Maxine Cohen of New York City and Mrs. Carl Gustavson of Philadelphia were out of town guests when Mrs. R. L. Baird entertained at supper on Tuesday evening. Contract hands were dealt at three tables, following the supper.



Jane Wyman Who is Mrs. Ronald Reagan in private life—hails from St. Joseph, Missouri . . . and she found her way into pictures by following a hunch, seeing an agent, and winning a contract. She'll be seen next in "My Love Came Back" with Olivia de Havilland and Jeffrey Lynn.

## IS LEAVING FOR NEBRASKA BRIDAL

Miss Doris Blewfield will leave this evening for Wayne, Nebr., where she is to be maid of honor at the wedding of her former college roommate, Miss Marian Seymour, and Carroll Peterson. The ceremony will be solemnized Saturday evening at the Seymour home in Wayne.

En route home, Miss Blewfield expects to visit in West Point and Lincoln, Nebr.

## Eakle Family Holds Reunion

The third annual Eakle reunion was held Sunday at the farm home of Mrs. Ethel Bursing near Byron, with 26 relatives attending from Dixon, DeKalb, Leaf River, Oregon and Byron. Officers elected during the business meeting were:

President, Mrs. Ethel Bursing, Byron; vice president, Vernice Eakle, Oregon; secretary-treasurer, Frank Bursing, Byron. Committees appointed by the new president include:

Refreshments—Mrs. John Schaffer, chairman. Mrs. Martin Eakle, Harry Fischer, and Mrs. Roy Grobe; entertainment—Martin Eakle, chairman. Mrs. Frank Bursing, Miss Gladys Hardisty, and Mrs. Arville Kuntzman.

The Eakles expect to meet at the Community park at Rochelle for their 1941 gathering, which is scheduled for the third Sunday in August.

## PATRICIA WEISS VISITS HERE

A young visitor from out of town about whom much entertainment has been centering is Patricia Weiss of Champaign, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Weiss, who formerly resided here. Patricia, who returned to her home today, has been the guest of Jane Ann Sharpe and Marie Haefliger since Sunday evening.

Jane was hostessing at luncheon for Patricia yesterday, and on Monday evening, Marie invited eight guests for dinner in compliment to the visitor. On Tuesday evening, Patricia was a dinner guest at the F. A. Longman home on Artesian Place.

Now that cooler days are in sight, lightweight wool is a good choice for traveling or spectator sports. At the Hollywood Ball Park recently, screen actress Irene Dunn wore a tailored suit of bright crimson wool with a box-pleated skirt and long double-breasted jacket. Her simple blouse and turban were of white jersey; her bag, gloves and shoes of white doeskin. The flower lapel ornament on her jacket was of platinum and diamonds.

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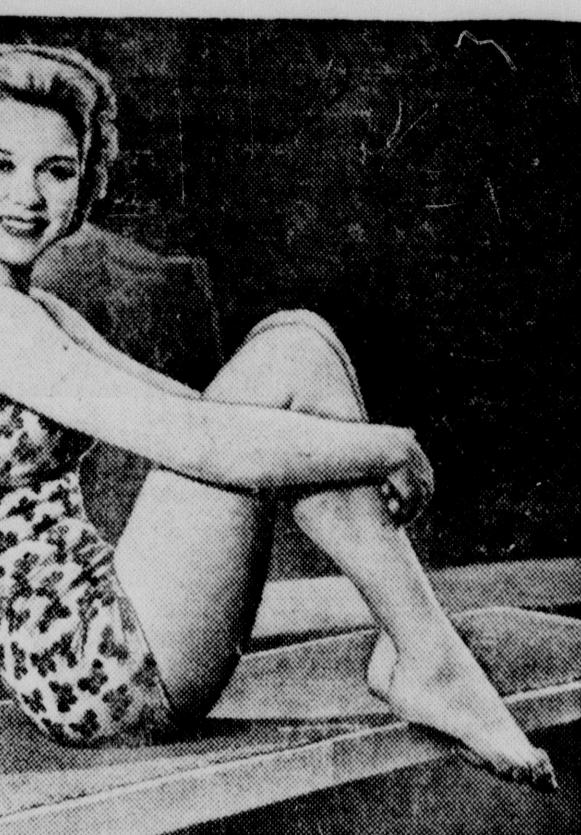
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## Missouri to the Movies



## Mendota Couple Exchanges Vows This Morning

Miss R. Catherine Schwarz of Mendota and Willard Irvin Johnson formerly of Malta, exchanged marriage vows at 11 a.m. Thursday at the rectory of Holy Cross church in Mendota. The Rev. Leo J. Wissing read the service in the presence of the immediate families of the bridal couple.

Miss Lucille M. Daub of Columbus, Ohio, former college classmate of the bride, and Gerald Johnson of Malta, the bridegroom's brother, attended the couple.

The bride was wearing a floor-length gown of white eyelet-embroidered organdie, with a heart-shaped halo hat of white hair-braid. At her waistline was a corsage of yellow roses, and her "something old" was a family heirloom, a gold locket and chain.

Miss Daub chose dusty pink marquise, fashioned with a shirred bodice, and a heart-shaped hat to match her dress. Her corsage contained red roses, and her rhinestone bracelet was a gift from the bride.

A wedding dinner was served in the Gold room of the Hotel Faber, with the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Schwarz, as hosts. This afternoon, the bridal pair was honored at a reception at the Schwarz home.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will motor through Wisconsin on their wedding trip. After their return, they will be at home at 1101 Sixth street.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Milo Jordal and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Johnson of Steward, and relatives and friends from Malta, Creston, Lee, DeKalb, Spring Valley, Freeport, Peru, and Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Johnson attended high school in Mendota and the College of St. Francis at Joliet. The bridegroom studied at DeKalb high school, Northern Illinois State Teachers college in DeKalb, and the Metropolitan Business college, and is a graduate of the Worsham School of Embalming in Chicago.

For several months, he has been associated with the Schwarz Funeral Service in Mendota.

## HOH SAUER-SWARTZ REUNION

Forty-three relatives and six visitors assembled at Deer Park near LaSalle on Sunday for the sixteenth annual reunion of the Sauer-Swartz families. A scramble dinner was followed by visiting and sightseeing.

Greetings were read from the Misses Dorothea and Flora Sauer of Salt Lake City, Utah. Relatives were present from Dixon, Sterling and Harmon.

From WOODS HOLE

Xon friends have received word that Miss Lucy Badger of Brookline, Mass., and her sister, Mrs. Frances Lyman of Wellesley, who have been spending the summer at Woods Hole, Mass., are en route to Morrison by motor for a visit with their brother, Arthur Badger. They will also visit Dixon friends before returning east.

Dinner COURTESIES

Mrs. Frank Rosbrook was hosting at dinner Tuesday evening in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Curtis Clark of Pittsburgh, Pa. Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss will be entertaining in Mrs. Clark's honor on Friday evening.

Sunday

Wawakie club—Family picnic at Lowell park.

King school—Reunion at school.

Hoyle family—Reunion at Lowell park.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White

—Will celebrate golden wedding anniversary with open house, 2 to 4 p.m.

Both family—Annual reunion at Lowell park.

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## Kessels Meet at Amboy Park

Members of the Kessel clan were 99 at their tenth annual reunion on Sunday at the Amboy park.

In the huge company were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Zentz and son Leroy and daughter Ruth, Dixon; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Embom and daughter Aneda and Miss Louise Dale, West Brooklyn; Miss Phyllis Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clark and son George, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sieberns, Donald Kessel, Mr. and Mrs. William Kirk and daughters Helen and Lois Dorothy, Darlene Kessel, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kessel, Mr. and Mrs. William Kessel and sons William and Bernard and daughters Aleta Mae and Betty Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Sieberns, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Malek, Amboy.

John Kessel, LaMoille; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart and daughters Arlene and Elmer, Perkins Grove; Mrs. Ida Swope Harmon; Mrs. Albert Kessel, Mendota; Mr. and Mrs. John Braun and sons Wayne and Clarence and daughter Hazel Sublette; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kessel and children James and Donna Marie, Walton; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kessel and children Marvin Paul, Jr., Robert, Ronald, Marjorie, Mildred, and Patricia Ann, Ladd; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stevens and son Melvin Ira, La Salle; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Zentz, Rock Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Rossier and son, Rockford; Isaac Lemmer, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kessel and sons Thomas and Leo, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schlesinger and son Delphan and Mrs. Elizabeth Kessel, Mendota; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stephanich and children Dorothy, Elaine, Harold and Junior, Miss Norma Beckett, Sublette; Miss Arlene Baird, Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. George Herrs and children Alan and Jack, Elburn; Miss Grace Levan and Howard Zentz, Dixon; Mr. and Mrs. Alice Hersch, Mrs. Molek and children Elsie and Leo, Chicago.

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## WALKER—BRANDT

With the couple's return to Amboy to reside, announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Leola Brandt of Tyler, Minn. and Arthur Walker of Amboy, June 14, at the Baptist parsonage in Davenport, Iowa.

Mrs. Walker was formerly a student nurse at Fairview hospital in St. Paul, Minn. The bridegroom is a son of the Harold Walkers, and was graduated from Amboy Township high school.

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## WILL OBSERVE SIXTIETH YEAR

Mr. and Mrs. Emmerson Chapman of Lafayette township will celebrate their sixtieth wedding anniversary on Sunday, Aug. 25, at their home north of Ashton. A family dinner at noon will be followed by open house from 3 to 5 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Chapman, who have been residents of the same neighborhood for more than half a century, have eight children. Frank Chapman of Dixon is a son.

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## BRIDGE FOURSOME

Mrs. Lyle Prescott was hostess to her bridge foursome on Tuesday.

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## POLO GIRL TO BECOME BRIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Graehling were making known the engagement of their daughter, June, to Donald Mades, when they entertained 12 guests Tuesday evening at their home two miles west of Polo. The date for the wedding has not been set.

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## Grayson's Scoreboard

By HARRY GRAYSON  
NEA Sports EditorBy HARRY GRAYSON  
NEA Service Sports Editor

It could happen only in Cleveland, the Indians of which city are the only outfit in professional baseball with two parks to be used to the best advantage.

After playing all its big and Sunday and holiday games in the \$2,500,000 lakefront Municipal Stadium with a capacity of more than 70,000, the Cleveland management took the two-game series with Detroit, the hottest of the year, to old League Park, where no more than 20,000 can be accommodated.

Cyril C. Slapnicka's plan was, of course, to give the Tribe a bulge in the direction of a 299-foot right field fence, while handicapping the Tigers, whose power is preponderantly right-handed.

The scheme worked all right, as far as the result of the first game was concerned. Hal Trosky, Beau Bell and Roy Weatherly were credited with home runs over their favorite target on balls which would have been caught easily in the symmetrical stadium.

But the switch was unnecessary with the fabulouos Bob Feller and Mel Harder pitching, and Detroit's Big Three caught out of turn.

Slapnicka only outsmarted the club put of some 40,000 paid admissions.

He also succeeded in getting thousands more mad at him, which comes close to making it unanimous.

Slapnicka, who has a faculty for doing the wrong thing at the right time, was the only person associated with or interested in the American League who underestimated the drawing power of the series.

Here were the Indians returning from a road trip and battling the Tigers, with whom they were tied for the league lead.

Feller, the greatest individual attraction in the business, was to pitch.

So Slapnicka moved the show from a modern stadium, which the city practically gives the club and where there would be room for all, to a dilapidated orchard, where thousands were turned away, but who stayed to mutter and wonder why the games couldn't be played down town in comfort.

It was bad enough the first day, but even with this warning, Slapnicka brought 'em back the following afternoon to do the whole silly act over again.

As one Detroit official, badly shortchanged, remarked, some blouses never learn.

But, it seems, Cyril C. Slapnicka simply has to mastermind.

Perhaps he was saving wear and tear on the stadium, figuring that Cleveland will have a good team again next year and will need it.

## Detroit Manager Still Expects to Capture Bunting

## HOW THEY STAND

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Cleveland	67	44	.564
Detroit	65	46	.566
Boston	58	52	.527
Chicago	55	51	.519
New York	56	51	.523
Washington	48	60	.444
St. Louis	46	67	.407
Philadelphia	41	65	.387

## Games Today

Boston at New York.  
Chicago at Cleveland.  
St. Louis at Detroit.  
Washington at Philadelphia (2).

## Results Yesterday

New York 8; Boston 3.  
Washington 5; Philadelphia 3.  
Detroit 13; St. Louis 7.  
Cleveland 4; Chicago 0 (night)

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Cincinnati	67	37	.644
Brooklyn	63	43	.594
New York	54	48	.529
Pittsburgh	53	51	.505
Chicago	54	53	.507
St. Louis	51	49	.495
Boston	41	61	.390
Philadelphia	34	67	.337

## Games Today

Cincinnati at Chicago.  
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.  
New York at Boston.  
Ottawa games scheduled.

## Results Yesterday

Brooklyn 6; Philadelphia 5-9.  
New York 1-0; Boston 0-6.  
(first game 12 innnings).  
Cincinnati at Chicago, postponed.

## St. Louis 7; Pittsburgh 6 (11 innnings).

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	W	L	Pct
Kansas City	75	40	.652
Minneapolis	61	45	.587
Columbus	51	51	.557
St. Paul	56	59	.487
Louisville	56	60	.483
Toledo	48	66	.421
Indianapolis	47	66	.416
Milwaukee	43	66	.394

## Games Today

Milwaukee at Columbus.  
Kansas City at Toledo.  
St. Paul at Indianapolis.  
Minneapolis at Louisville.

## Results Yesterday

Toledo 6; Milwaukee 5.  
Louisville 6; St. Paul 1.  
Columbus 5; Kansas City 4.  
Minneapolis 16; Indianapolis 8.

## THREE EYE

Madison 12; Waterloo 5.  
Moline 5; Springfield 1.  
(Only games scheduled).

## Clinton, Cedar Rapids Pick Up on Brownies

## Helen Jacobs is Beaten in Upset at Essex Club

Rain last night prevented Cedar Rapids and Clinton from opening their important second place series, but even in idleness each picked up a half game on pace setting Springfield.

The first place Brownies ran into two-bit pitching at the hands of two Moline hurlers, Ray and Barkevian, and lost 5 to 1. Defeat left Springfield one game ahead of Cedar Rapids and three ahead of Clinton.

In last night's only other game, Madison scored six times in the ninth to trounce Waterloo, 12 to 5. Rain washed out the Evansville-Decatur engagement.

Nomads of Central Asia use leather milk bottles.

## AL SMITH HOLDS CHICAGO'S SOX TO SINGLE HIT

## Old Guys With Funny Deliveries Star on Mound Wednesday

By BILL WHITE  
Associated Press Sports Writer

The old guys with the funny deliveries did all right.

In yesterday's two best-pitched games, King Carl Hubbell of the Giants and Al Smith of the Cleveland Indians, the foremost exponents of the screwball, recalled the old days when they used to win regularly what they win only occasionally now.

Smith, of the two, turned in the better job. Working under the lights, he limited the Chicago White Sox to one hit—Jimmy Webb's single in the third—to enable the Indians to hold their two game league lead by virtue of a 4-0 victory. The game was played before 59,068, largest night crowd of the season.

It was the eighth victory in 10 games for the Indians and Roy Weatherly was as much a hero with his bat as Smith was with his screwball.

The Hubbell victory in the first of a twin bill was a mellerdrammer of the dime novel variety.

While Old Carl was elbowing his way to a five hit, twelve inning 1-0 victory over the Bees, old Mel Ott, who had been benched for failure to hit recently, stole some of the show. Acting as a pinch hitter in the 12th he singled, was sacrificed and scored on Frank Demaree's single to give the team's veterans all the laurel wreaths.

**Giant Castoff Wins**

In the second game Manuel Salvo, a Giant castoff, blanked his former mates with eight hits to win 6-0, and make Bill Terry acutely conscious that the trade he made for Tony Cuccinello, using Mammy as bait, was not the best he ever made.

Meanwhile, the Brooklyn Dodgers had chance to close the gap between themselves and the idle Cincinnati Reds, but they flubbed it. After winning the first game 6-5 as Freddie Fitzsimmons got credit for his 12th of the year, they lost the second 9-6 as Johnny Rizzo and Bob Bragan hit in timely fashion and the Brooks' pitching folded completely.

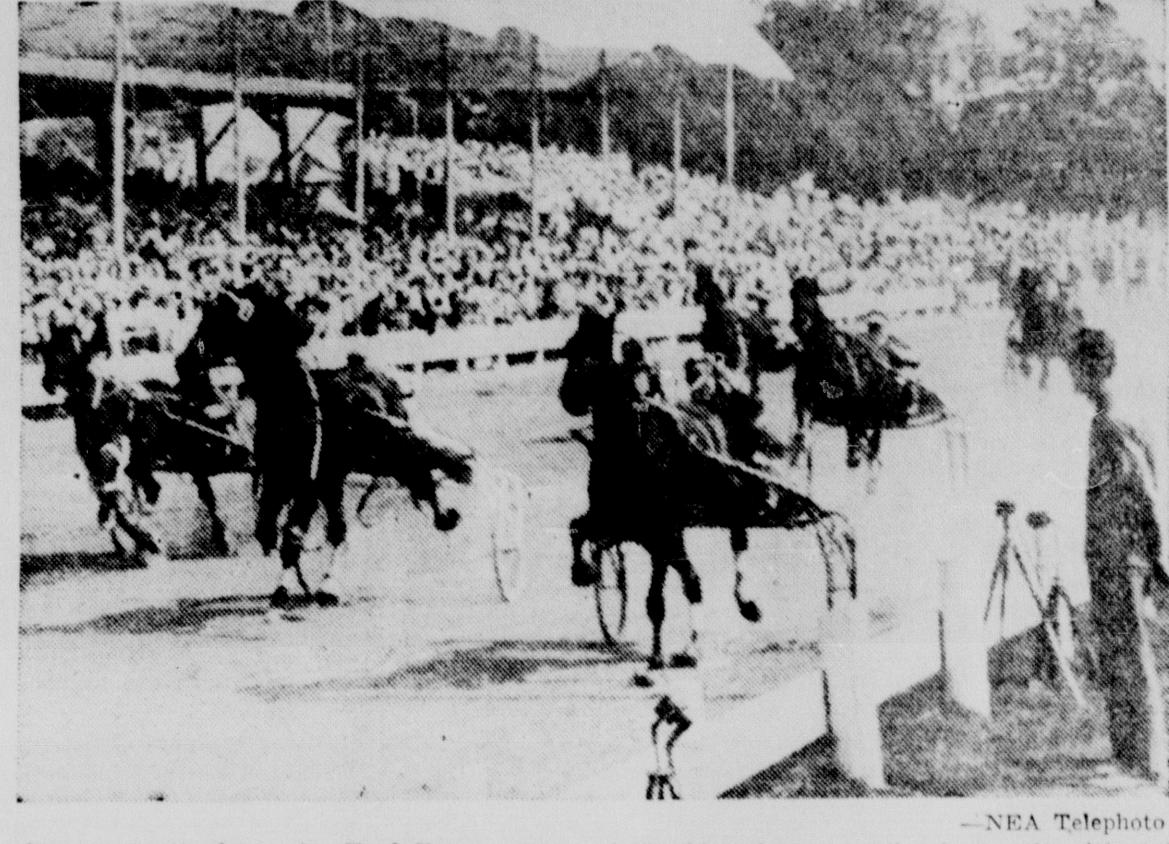
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**Shabbona Averages**

	W	L	Pct
W. Challand, cf	54	20	.570
R. Challand, 1b	50	18	.530
Houghtby, cf	22	7	.318
Houghtby, cf	48	14	.292
Beital, cf	42	12	.286
O'Kane, ss	32	8	.250
Offeld, 3b	46	11	.239
Beyerhol, cf	13	3	.231
Colby, 2b	27	6	.222
G. George, p	43	9	.209
W. George, cf	26	4	.154
Wright, c	39	9	.231
Derr, cf	5	3	.600

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## Hambletonian Won by Spencer Scott



—NEA Telephoto

Spencer Scott, driven by Fred Egan, veteran of Hambletonians, on rail, winning the richest harness classic in eight years, with Remus, center front, winning second money, and Kuno, extreme left, placing third at the annual Hambletonian in Goshen, N. Y.

## Batting Averages of Shabbona Team Announced Today

By BERT CUMMINGS

Shabbona, one of the new members of the Illinois State League this year, which has made a great showing and has been up and around the top of the league and at one time tied with the Dixon Knacks has sent in the batting averages for the year and as these players are not as well known to local fans as some of the other players we print them for you to look over and think about while you are picking out your all star team. The two Challand boys, Reed and Webb, are leading their club in hitting. Webb plays in the outfield and is a real ball player, and Reed plays first base for his team. Reed at one time had a try-out with the Chicago White Sox as an outfielder.

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**TOMATO NOVELTIES**

**Tomato Dumplings**

Two cups flour, three teaspoons baking powder, one teaspoon salt, three-fourths to one cup tomato juice or more.

Sift flour, baking powder and salt together. Add tomato juice to make a stiff drop batter and combine well. Drop from a spoon on top of meat stew. Cover tightly and steam 12 to 15 minutes. (Also flavorful with beef stew.)

**Tomato Sherbet**

Stir together: Two cups tomato juice, two tablespoons sugar, one-half teaspoon salt, one tablespoon lemon juice, one cup crushed pineapple.

Freeze in tray of automatic refrigerator about four hours, stirring twice. Serve with meat course, or with crackers and cheese for dessert.

**Tomato Butter**

Ten pounds tomatoes, three pounds tart apples, four pounds sugar, one quart mild vinegar, one-fourth ounce each mace and cloves, (spice bag) one-half ounce each cinnamon and ginger.

Peel tomatoes, combine ingredients, and cook slowly until thick. Stir occasionally to prevent scorching. Pour into sterilized jars and seal.

**Flavor Tip:** Add a slice of onion to the tomato juice while it is chilling, and remove before serving.

**FOR THE PICNIC**

**Russian Sandwiches**

One small cream cheese (one-third cup), one-fourth teaspoon salt, one-half cup mayonnaise, 24 stuffed olives, one loaf white bread, one-fourth pound butter, one-eighth ounce each cinnamon and ginger.

Cream the cheese and season with salt and paprika. Chop the olives very fine and mix with the mayonnaise. Slice bread very thin and remove crusts if desired. Spread with softened butter. Spread one slice of bread with the cheese and the other with the mayonnaise mixture. Put slices together, cut in half and wrap each sandwich in wax paper.

**Picnic Turnovers**

This baked treat, good hot or cold, may be prepared in advance for the outing or for buffet service. One and one-half cups cooked ham, ground; one-fourth cup mayonnaise, one teaspoon dry mustard, one-half teaspoon onion juice, two tablespoons dill pickle, chopped; one recipe baking powder biscuits, five thin slices cheese. (Ten servings.)

Prepare baking powder biscuit dough: (Two cups sifted flour, three teaspoons baking powder, one-half teaspoon salt, five tablespoons shortening, about two-thirds cup milk.) Roll dough about one-fourth inch thick and cut into 4-inch squares. Brush squares with melted butter. Combine ham, mayonnaise, mustard, onion juice and pickle, and mix well. Place a triangle of cheese on half of dough square, put one tablespoon ham mixture on cheese, and fold over other half of dough to form a triangle. Press edges together. Bake in hot oven 425 degrees 20 to 25 minutes.

**HOT WEATHER TREATS**

**Raspberry Ice Cream**

One pint red raspberries (one and one-fourth cups puree), one-half cup powdered sugar, one-eighth teaspoon salt, one teaspoon gelatin, two tablespoons cold water, one teaspoon lemon juice, one cup whipping cream.

Wash and drain berries thoroughly. Press through a sieve to remove seeds. Add sugar and salt, stirring until quite well dissolved. Soak gelatin in cold water five minutes. Heat over boiling water until dissolved. Add with the lemon juice to the berry mixture. Chill to same temperature as cream. Add gradually to whipped cream. Pour into tray of automatic refrigerator and freeze four hours.

Variation: A three-fourths inch layer of raspberry ice-cream may be frozen and placed between two similar layers of chocolate ice cream. The brick should be re-

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**WILLKIE LEAVES  
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**Will Make Short Stop in  
Kansas City; Ready  
for His Speech**

Colorado Springs, Colo., Aug. 15—(AP)—Wendell L. Willkie will fly late today to Indiana, where, in his acceptance address Saturday he is expected to discuss for the first time his views on military conscription.

The Republican nominee arranged to address a crowd at the Kansas City airport (about 4:35 p. m. Central Standard time) during a brief stop. His chartered plane was scheduled to arrive in Indianapolis at about 8 p. m. (Central Standard time) tonight, and he then will motor to Rushville, Ind., the home town of Mrs. Willkie.

The acceptance address which Willkie will deliver Saturday at Elwood, Ind., his own home town, probably will cover the general range of campaign issues, as well as conscription. He gave the address a last minute going yesterday and sent it to the printer.

On the eve of his departure from his vacation hotel, Willkie renewed his demand that the Democratic national committee return funds paid for advertising in party campaign books and suggested creation of an impartial board to enforce election laws.

The nominees said at his press conference he believed the question of "machine political control" would be a major one in the presidential campaign. Then, in response to questions, he named foreign policy and national defense as the two top issues.

**Aid to Britain**

Aid to Great Britain short of war and a demand for a revitalization of defense were understood to be among the candidate's approaches to those two questions.

Willkie was expected to emphasize particularly his belief that the problem of national defense is intermeshed with that of industrial production.

While the candidate has given no public statement of his stand on conscription, some of his call-

ers have indicated he would approve the idea.

Willkie reported yesterday that General Hugh Johnson, who favors conscription, had been one of his "particular advisers" in the preparation of his acceptance address.

After his Elwood address, Willkie will return to Rushville for a few days. His plans thereafter are indefinite. Since coming to Colorado Springs July 9 he has conferred with scores of party leaders and others and has made a trip through Wyoming and Utah and another to Des Moines, Iowa.

**HOME FOLKS PARTY**

Rushville, Ind., Aug. 15—A Hoosier "home-folks party" will be the reception accorded Rushville's "favorite son-in-law", Wendell L. Willkie, and the city's most famous daughter, the wife of the Republican presidential nominee.

The Willkies arrive by automobile tonight after a plane trip to Indianapolis from Colorado Springs, Colo., but there will be no official greeting here until Monday.

Nevertheless, an official delegation will meet the nominee's party at the Indianapolis municipal airport. Twenty-year-old Philip Willkie, who has been vacationing in Maine, will join his parents at Indianapolis.

Mrs. Cora Wilk, mother of Mrs. Willkie, will not make the trip to the state capital. She said she

would be "sitting on my front porch when they drive up".

She last saw her daughter and son-in-law at the national convention which nominated Willkie. Mrs. Wilk will go with them to Elwood. Willkie's birthplace—some 50 miles to the north—for his formal notification Saturday.

**Plans Indefinite**

After that ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Willkie and Philip will return to spend several days at Mrs. Willkie's home. Beyond that, the nominee's plans were indefinite.

A civic meeting has been set for Monday afternoon in Memorial Park and Willkie will speak. This talk has been described as non-political.

One special train has been made up for members of the state central committee and party nominees, including C. Wayland Brooks of Chicago, the candidate for United States senator; Hugh Cross of Jerseyville, candidate for Lieutenant governor; and George F. Barrett of Chicago, the nominee for attorney general.

Dwight H. Green of Chicago, the gubernatorial nominee, will have another special train for his organization, including an American Legion band.

Elwood, Ind., Saturday to hear Wendell L. Willkie accept the party's nomination for president of the United States.

Republican leaders here reported today that 13 special trains had been reserved by delegations planning to attend and that additional thousands of party members intended to make the trip by automobile.

Ben L. Berve, chairman of the Republican state central committee, claimed that as many as 50,000 Illinoisans might be on hand for the first big rally of the presidential campaign.

Our Rushville reception is going to be sort of an old-home-week gathering rather than being a political rally", said Mary Sleeth, family friend and former Indiana Republican vice-chairman.

It is going to be a home-folks party."

While Willkie is here he is expected to inspect his five farms in Rush county. They are managed by Miss Sleeth. He also owns a business building in this county seat of 6,000.

Before her marriage to Willkie, the former Edith Wilk was assistant librarian of Rushville's public library. Miss Sleeth was librarian there.

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## Girl Scouts

About thirty-five Oregon Girl Scouts and troop committee members will go by bus to Freeport Friday, leaving here at 8 o'clock a.m. They will take gifts to the children of St. Vincent's orphanage and visit the craft shop of the orphanage. They will also visit the W. T. Rawleigh plant, have a picnic dinner and swimming party at Read's park.

## Returned

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Driver returned Monday after a two months' visit with the Lee Etners at Dallas, Texas, and at Mr. Driver's home in Girard, Tex.

Betty Bain who has been a visitor at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bain for six weeks, returned this week to Elmhurst.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brader accompanied by their son Glen of Peoria, returned Sunday from a trip to Colorado.

George Etnyre Jr. has completed his studies at Purdue University and came home Saturday.

## To Business College

Misses Clara Rose Wilmarth and Mary Margaret Short have enrolled at the Scoville business college at Sterling for the fall term which begins September 3.

## Personals

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Carpenter included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Andrew of Seattle, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Holden of Chicago, Milford Gesin of Forreston, Attorney and Mrs. F. W. Burchell, Mrs. Ida Andrew, Mr. and Mrs. Delos Andrew and children, Miss Alice Gesin and Walter Anderson.

Bill Tremble accompanied the 129th Infantry band to Camp McCoy, Sparta, Wis. for army maneuvers.

Mary Sauer is entertaining a guest this week, Shirley Butler of Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Rees and son, Mrs. Charles Kinn, Mrs. Melissa Crawley, Mrs. Graydon Patrick and sons were visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCourt at Dixon.

Mesdames Elmer Dew, Carl Kyker and G. F. Cann were hostesses to the Philathia class of the Methodist church Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Montressor and children of Decatur and Mrs. Ted Seyster of Sycamore are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ferrandine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis, Yvonne and Lambertus Rotramel left Monday on a two weeks vacation to the Wisconsin Dells and lakes.

Carolen and Linda Gesin of Des Moines, Ia. are visitors with their grandfather, Charles Gesin and aunts, Misses Ruth and Alice Gesin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kinn were visited the past week by the latter's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Smith of Milliken, Michigan.

**EXPANDED AVIATION BASE**  
Washington — (AP)—Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox announced plans were underway for a material expansion of facilities at the naval reserve aviation base at Glenview, Ill. Pilots receive preliminary training there before being sent to Pensacola, Florida, for advanced work.

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## Case of "Delayed Vocation"



The career of Jimmy Hatlo, (above) famous comic artist whose daily cartoon, "They'll Do It Every Time", will appear in the Dixon Evening Telegraph beginning Aug. 19, is a striking example of delayed vocation. Jimmy Hatlo's rapid rise to fame as a cartoonist came years after he had discarded his drawing board. Only by the merest chance, after years in other fields, did he resume his cartooning, there to find his life's comic artists.

Hatlo finds his greatest satisfaction in drawing comic cartoons. He used to sermonize with political cartoons. He believes his comics expound his philosophy much more effectively. As an evidence of their wider appeal he cites his daily mail, which is many times more bulky since he developed his present style of panel.

The artist's cartoons are largely based upon his own highly varied life. But he acknowledges many ideas to admirers who write him his suggestions. Hatlo is enthusiastic about his work. Reluctant to preach by the spoken word, he nevertheless admits that the story of his interrupted career may hold a moral. But he'd sooner draw a picture about it than talk about it. "I hope I can always continue to draw along humorous lines", he says.

have gone to New York City for a visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hefner.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Withers and Miss Hazel Roller attended a picnic of the Willing Workers class of the Dixon Grace Evangelical church at the Pines Tuesday night.

Due to unfavorable weather the Drexler family reunion was held at the Grange hall with 78 present.

**HIGH SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
Students who did not register last spring, or who wish to change their registration cards should do so on Wednesday, August 21. Students who registered last spring and do not wish to make any changes should not go to the high school on the above date.

Books will be sold to the high school students on Thursday and Friday, August 29th and 30th. The juniors and seniors will purchase their books on Thursday forenoon, August 29th, from 8:00 to 11:30. The sophomores will buy their books from 1:00 to 3:30 Thursday afternoon, August 29. The freshmen will go to the high school on Friday forenoon, August 30th, from 8:00 to 11:30.

School will open for regular school work on Tuesday morning, September 3.

H. A. Hoff, principal.

**TRAFFIC FATALITY**  
Joliet—(AP)—Adolph Czeyka, 41, of New Lenox, was killed last night when he was struck by an automobile driven by August Long, 29, of Manhattan. The accident occurred near New Lenox.

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## West Brooklyn

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Maier and daughters, Margaret, Frances and Alice are spending several days at the Wisconsin Dells.

Mr. and Mrs. William Auchstetter, Mrs. Mary Sherman, and Mrs. Mary Gehant attended the funeral services of Edward Ellsworth at Rochester on Monday afternoon.

William Long, Jr., and a number of friends spent Monday in Chicago.

Miss Collette Shaw and Miss Mary Alice Shaw were business callers here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gehant and daughters Dorothy, and Joyce spent Thursday afternoon in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Vincent and family spent Saturday evening in Mendota.

A party of young folks attended a roller skating party at Mendota on Tuesday evening.

Repairs are being made at the local high school in West Brooklyn. A new English and typing teacher has been hired as Miss Marge Rowe resigned.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bernardin and sons of Sterling visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bernardin on Sunday.

Miss Georgene Gehant of Oak Park spent the week-end at the home of her father, George Gehant.

Mr. and Mrs. William Zapf of Chicago visited with friends here on Sunday.

Henry Gehant, Jr., and Miss Carolyn Miller of Aurora spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gehant, Sr.

Miss Jean Jeaganut and Miss Marion Gehant of Aurora visited with friends here on Sunday evening.

Miss Fay Sondgeroth visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bieschke on Sunday evening.

Miss Eleanor Walter is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. White. Miss Walter is having a two weeks' vacation after which she will resume her studies at the Katherine Shaw Bethes hospital at Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mackin, Jr., christened their baby boy, David Lee, on Sunday morning at St. Mary's church.

Herbert Danekas and a party of friends spent Sunday in Chicago.

Miss Nellie Phalen is entertaining her grandson at her home this week. Jimmie Delhotal is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Delhotal.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ketchum and daughter of Lockport spent the later part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. August Gehant.

Walter Webber of Amboy was a business caller here Saturday. Curtis Brickey is spending several days in LaFayette, Ind.

Peter Schneider of Dixon was a Sunday dinner guest at the home of Mrs. Mary Sherman.

Mrs. Teresa Tatro and daughters Charlotte, Margaret and Virginia of Emmetsburg, Iowa visited at the home of Edward Henry on Wednesday afternoon.

Joseph Ege is spending several days in Indiana visiting with relatives.

Dr. E. C. White spent Wednesday afternoon at Ottawa on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gehant, Sr., and daughters, Fay and Alice attended several days at Wisconsin Dells. Mr. Gehant is enjoying his two weeks' vacation from the H. F. Gehant Banking Co.

Members of the Domestic Science club met at special meeting on Wednesday evening at the home of Misses Lolita and Zelda Koehler. Plans are being made for a gathering at the home of Mrs. Florian Walter of Batavia on Aug. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Gehant spent Thursday afternoon in this vicinity visiting friends and relatives.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sheridan was baptised on Sunday morning at the St. Mary's church with Mr. and Mrs. William Long and Miss Vera Henry acting as sponsors. They christened the infant Norma Jean.

Miss Rita Mae Hahn has been spending several days in Mendota visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bulfer of Sublette spent Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hahn.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCoy and their grandson, Jimmie spent a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Faulk. Mr. and Mrs. McCoy are from Topeka, Kas.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hart and family spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Margaret Schneider.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Ruhland and daughter Norma Jean spent Friday evening with friends here. Miss Charlotte Bieschke also accompanied them here.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Halbmaier and daughter, Cleta of Waterloo, Ia., spent Sunday with Mr. Halbmaier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halbmaier.

Next Sunday, August 15, is to be a gala day at West Brooklyn with two ball games and a chicken dinner at St. Mary's school hall as the main attractions together with bingo, pin ball and many other concession stands as side issues. Dinner will be served from 11 a.m. to completion and no advance reservations have been sold. The same hospitality that characterized the community in the past, will be

exemplified again upon this day and we hope to see many friends and relatives in attendance from a distance again as in the past.

Following the dinner, the local basketball team will play Lee starting at one o'clock and at 3 o'clock Dixon will play Maytown. Come early and enjoy all three events.

Those serving upon the various committees for the dinner are as follows:

Chicken—Mrs. Tony Halbmaier, Mrs. John Gallisath, Mrs. George Bresson, Mrs. George Untz, Mrs. Ray Maier.

Potatoes—Mrs. Frank Gehant, Mrs. Anthony Gehant, Mrs. Joe Maier, Mrs. Gust Gehant, Mrs. Alex Gehant, Mrs. Robert Zinke.

Buns and butter—Mrs. Albert Gehant, Mrs. Alex Jeanblanc.

Salad—Mrs. Louie Hoerner, Mrs. Henry Lipps, Mrs. Wm. Gehant, Mrs. Walter Gillette.

Peas—Mrs. Herb Miller, Mrs. Micky Long.

Outside dinners—Mrs. Wilbur Delhotal, Miss Zita Chaon.

Cooking—Mrs. Robert Ruhland,

Mrs. Wm. Auchstetter, Mrs. Mary Graf, Agnes A. Quinn, Mrs. John Dinges.

Washing—Mrs. August Bettner,

Mrs. Bert Bieschke, Mrs. George Hahn, Mrs. Earl Mellott, Mrs. Geo. Koehler, Mrs. Loy Chaon, Mrs. Wilson Rhoads, Mrs. Clare Vickrey, Mrs. Laura Jeanblanc, Mrs. Wm. Untz, Mrs. Marvin Bernhardin.

Pies—Mrs. Oliver Gehant, Jr., Mrs. L. F. Knauer.

Gravy—Mrs. Joe Gallisath, Mrs. John Derr.

Coffee serving—Mrs. Wilbur Rhoads, Mrs. Lionel Chaon, Mrs. George E. Montavon, Miss Helen Mackin, Miss Laura Henry, Miss Sylvia Cllopine, Rosetta Delhotal, Checkers, Mrs. Frank Halbmaier, Jr., Mrs. George Vincent.

Coffee—Mrs. Joe Schweiger, Mrs. Mary Bodmer.

Potato preparing—Mrs. William Halbmaier, Mrs. Joe Vincent, Mrs. Elize Gehant, Mrs. Prosper Gander, Mrs. Wm. Henkel, Mrs. Frank Delhotal, Mrs. Joe Haub, Mrs. Andrew Hubsch, Mrs. Chas. Clopine.

Table overseers—Mrs. Herschel Hoerner, Miss Fay Gehant.

Waitresses

Table 1—Mrs. Anna Cook, hostess, Rosetta Chaon, Irene Salz, Dorothy Unitz, Leonora Henkel, Dorothy Gehant, Helen Gallisath, Betty Lou Chaon.

Table 4—Vera Bettner, hostess, Betty Jones, Cecilia Henkel, Genevieve Jones, Rosemary Conner, Alice Gehant.

Table 3—Lolita Koehler, hostess, Elenore Dinges, Rita Mae Mahn, Betty Ann Miller, Ruth Untz, Marjorie Chaon.

Table 4—Mildred Gehant, hostess, Oneida Irwin, Frances Maier, Marybelle Gehant, Dorothy Chaon, Mary Halbmaier, Lea Bieschke.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bernardin and son and daughter left on Tuesday for Portsmouth, Ohio via auto where they will spend a week visiting with friends and relatives of Mrs. Bernardin.

Harry Turner was here from Ashton on Monday on business.

Walter Webber of Amboy was here on Saturday calling upon old friends and neighbors.

Many of our citizens accompanied the fire department to Compton on Saturday and Sunday where they participated in the water fights between Compton and Mendota. They were successful in defeating Compton on Saturday but fell to the Mendota boys on Sunday afternoon.

Members of the Sublette Hospital Notes

Mrs. Rudolph Mini and infant daughter, Rose Marie left the hospital Saturday and went to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Arrigo.

Helen and Doris Leffelman, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leffelman submitted to tonsillectomy's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bulfer, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Theiss, Mrs. Eva Becker, Mrs. Anna Glaser, Charles Butler, Leonard Vaessen and Irene Glaser were among those who attended the chicken dinner given by St. Flannan's parish at Harmon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones and

Sublette

**Class Meeting**

The Philathia class of the Sublette Union church will meet on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Irwin Rapp. Everyone is to bring a soft lunch and come dressed in house dresses and be prepared to sew carpet rags. Everyone will be met in Sublette